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**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
EXAMINING GROUP 1656**

Docket No.: 01017/42148  
(PATENT)

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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In re Application of Harrington

Application No.: 08/951,733

Art Unit: 1656

Filed: October 16, 1997

Examiner: W. Moore

For: Genes Encoding Telomerase Proteins

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**AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION**

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Commissioner for Patents

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Dear Sir:

This amendment is in response to the final Office Action mailed on September 26, 2006. Pending claims 1, 2, 5, 7, 8, 11 and 17 were in condition for allowance. Claims 13, 14, 26-29 and 33 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 101 and claim 30 was objected to under 37 C.F.R. § 1.75. This response is filed with a Petition to Revive Application Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.137(b) and the required fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(m).

Please amend the above-identified application as follows.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 5 of this paper.